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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated September 22, 2006, be extended for one month to and including January 22, 2007.

Please apply the fee of \$60 for a one-month extension and any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050 (Ref. 19662-026001).

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